## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	)	
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Serial No. 10/591,781	<u>)</u>	Group Art Unit: 1797
Filed September 6, 2006	<u>)</u>	Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung
FILTER SYSTEM WITH FILTER MEANS	) )	December 10, 2011
RETRACTABLE INTO A HOUSING	) )	,

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2008, Applicants amend the above-identified application as follows and submit concurrently herewith a RCE. Please charge any fees necessary in connection with the filing of this response to Shell Oil Company Deposit Account No. 19-1800.